

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

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Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Engineer Battalion Support Company, 1st Engineer Battalion 111th Engineer Company 41st Engineer Company 72d Engineer Company

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Valorous Unit Award

Period of service: 10 November 2006 to 31 January 2007

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-14

Reason: For extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy. During the period 10 November 2006 to 31 January 2007, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Engineer Battalion and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit's determination and dedication to unvielding accomplishment was beyond the call of duty and contributed success of the division's tremendously to the improvised explosive device counter-operations. Headquarters Company, 1st Engineer Battalion's outstanding Headquarters performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon the unit and the United States Army.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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